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Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,
and KELLY & Co.

Banks.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is con-
ducted by the HONGKONG AND
SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-
TION. Rules may be obtained on ap-
plication.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at
3½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors
may transfer at their option balances of
\$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND
SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on
FIXED DEPOSIT at 5 PER CENT. per
annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai
Banking Corporation,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, May 15, 1893. 1515

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, \$2,000,000.
CAPITAL CALLED UP, \$251,093.15.0.

BANKERS:

CAPITAL & COUNTRIES BANK, LIMITED.

Head Office:

3, PRINCE STREET, LONDON.

Branches:

BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG & SHANGHAI.

Agents:

PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST

Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed

Deposits can be ascertained on application.

Every description of Banking and Ex-
change business transacted.

CHANDRY INCHBALD,
Manager.
Hongkong, November 6, 1893. 247

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

SUBSCRIBED, £1,125,000.

PAY-UP, £662,500.

Branches:

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LTD.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at
the rate of 2½ per cent. on the Daily
Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—

For 12 Months, 5%.

For 6 Months, 4%.

For 3 Months, 3%.

JOHN THURBURN,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, June 18, 1893. 228

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,000,000.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £500,000.

Head Office—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:

D. CHILLES, Esq., H. STOUTER, Esq.,

CHAN KUI SHAN, Esq., CHOW TUNG SHANG,
Esq.,

KWAN HOI CHUN, Esq.,

Chief Manager.

Geo. W. F. PLAYFAIR,
Interest for 12 months Fixed 5%.

Hongkong, October 23, 1894. 1711

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAY-UP CAPITAL, \$10,000,000.

RESERVE FUND, \$4,500,000.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF
PROPRIETORS, \$10,000,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS:—

C. J. HOLMIDAY, Esq., Chairman.

J. S. MOSES, Esq., Deputy Chairman.

R. M. GRAY, Esq., Hon. A. McAlister,

H. HOPKINS, Esq., S. O. McPherson,

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Hongkong—T. JACKSON, Esq.,

Manager:—

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LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY
BANKING Co., Ltd.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Account at the rate of 3

per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months 3 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months 4 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months 5 per cent. per annum.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, August 14, 1894. 348

Intimations.

WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACT.

TENDERS will be Received at the
HEADQUARTERS OFFICE (B), Com-
missariat Buildings, up to Noon on MONDAY,
24th Instant, for the PROVISION of
WATCHMEN on WAR DEPARTMENT BUILD-
INGS and PROPERTY, from the 1st JANUARY,
1895, to the 31st MARCH, 1896.
Tenders must be made on Forms which,
together with any further information re-
quired, will be supplied on application to
the D. A. GENERAL (B), Commissariat
Buildings.
The Secretary of State does not bind him-
self to accept the lowest or any Tender.
HEADQUARTERS OFFICE (B),
Hongkong, 12th December, 1894. 2026

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1, 165.

A Regular MEETING of the above
LODGE will be held in the FREE-
MASON'S HALL, Zetland Street, on
SATURDAY, the 15th Instant, at 4.30 for
5 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are
cordially invited.
Hongkong, December 8, 1894. 1989

WRECK OF S.S. BELLONA.

NOTICE is hereby given that ARRANGEMENTS have been made for the CON-
DUCT of SALVAGE OPERATIONS at
the WRECK OF S.S. BELLONA, lying on
NORTH REEF, PARAGUAYS.
All unauthorized Persons are hereby
warned against approaching the wreck or
in any way attempting to carry out any
Salvage Operations or to remove anything
therefrom or interfere with or obstruct
those Persons who have been authorized to
conduct the Salvage Operations.
Hongkong, 12th December, 1894.

SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents,
For Owners, S.S. Bellona.
2024

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, \$150,000.

30,000 SHARES OF \$5 EACH.

NOTICE.

IT is proposed to INCORPORATE AN
OTHER COMPANY under a SIMILAR
NAME to the above, to TAKE OVER the
Business, Assets, and Liabilities of the
present Company, and for this purpose
Subscriptions for Shares in the New Com-
pany, when formed, are invited from the
public.
PROSPECTUSES and FORMS OF APPLICA-
TION may be obtained from the Under-
signed.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, December 10, 1894. 2003

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 15th to the
31st Instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, December 10, 1894. 2005

THE HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

THE Annual General MEETING of the
above Society will be held at the
CITY HALL, on THURSDAY, the 20th day
of December, 1894, at Noon.
All those who take any Interest in the
Work of the Society, whether Members or
not, are cordially invited to attend.

F. H. MASTER,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, December 6, 1894. 1883

WINDSOR HOTEL, HONGKONG.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT, situated in the
elegant Building known as 'CON-
NAUGHT HOUSE,' offers First-Class Ac-
commodation to Residents and Travellers.
Passenger Elevator, from Entrance Hall
to each Floor, in charge of experienced
Attendants.
Favourable Arrangements made for
Families and for Monthly or Extended
Periods.

RATE OF CHARGE. \$5.00

Breakfast at 8.30 a.m. 0.60 per meal

Tiffin 1.00 p.m. 0.75

Dinner 7.00 p.m. 1.00

Breakfast, Tiffin & Dinner \$5.00 per month

Tiffin and Dinner 28.00 "

Tiffin 15.00 "

Dinner 18.00 "

P. BOHM,
Proprietor and Manager.

Hongkong, November 24, 1894. 1907

STAINFIELD'S FAMILY HOTEL.

SUPERIOR BOARD & RESIDENCE,
with every convenience.

Mrs. STAINFIELD.

1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, June 30, 1894. 1102

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.

HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP, £200,000.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-
HOLDERS, £200,000.

RESERVE FUND, £275,000.

INTEREST allowed on Current Account
at the rate of 2½ per cent. on the
Daily Balance.

On Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months 3 per cent. per annum.

For 6 months 4 per cent. per annum.

For 12 months 5 per cent. per annum.

A. C. MARSHALL,
Manager, Hongkong.

Hongkong, May 17, 1894. 845

Business Notices.

Christmas 1894! New Year 1895!

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

GROCERIES and PROVISIONS, PUDDING FRUITS,
PLUM PUDDINGS, PLUM CAKES,
DESSERT FRUITS, NUTS, FANCY CHEESE,
COSAQUES and CONFECTIONERY.
SPECIAL SELECTED YORK HAMS.

FANCY GOODS

FOR
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR PRESENTS,
NEW GLASS and CHINA WARE,
ELECTRO-PLATED GOODS,
FANCY LEATHER and METAL SUNDRIES,
FLOWER HOLDERS, TABLE DECORATIONS,
LAMPS, LAMP SHADES, NEW MENUS,
PIPES and SMOKERS' SUNDRIES.

TOYS.

A LARGE SELECTION OF THE LATEST NOVELTIES.
NEW DOLLS, MECHANICAL TOYS, TOY BOOKS.
New Music.

JOHANNIS WATER

Promotes digestion, prolongs life, prevents gout and rheumatism.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Telephone 97.

Hongkong, December 10, 1894. 2001

W. POWELL & Co.

WINTER FASHIONS.

DRESS MATERIALS, MILLINERY, FURS, JACKETES, COAT CAPES,
HATS, HOSIERY, CARPETS, TAPESTRIES,
&c. &c. &c.
W. POWELL & Co.
Hongkong, December 1, 1894. 1950

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

Will despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES
named:—

FOR.	STEAMSHIP.	DATE.	REMARKS.
SHANGHAI	Peninsular	Daylight, 15th Dec.	Freight or Passage.
SHANGHAI AND Kobe	Formosa	About 18th Dec.	Freight or Passage.
LONDON, &c.	Siam	Noon, 20th Dec.	See Special Advertisement.
JAPAN	Ancona	Noon, 21st Dec.	Freight or Passage (calling at MANRILLA if sufficient inducement offers).
LONDON	Shanghai	About 24th Dec.	

For further Particulars, apply to

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

Hongkong, December 14, 1894. 2000

HONGKONG HOTEL.

Telegraphic Address: "Kremlin"—A.B.C. Code.

BOARD and LODGING, from \$5.00 per day.

HYDRAULIC LIFT to all Floors.

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail
Steamers.

R. TUCKER, Manager.

HOTEL CHAMBERS.

BOARD and LODGING, from \$5.00 per month.

ROOMS TO LET on 2nd and 3rd Floors, FURNISHED or UNFURNISHED.

Apply to R. TUCKER, Manager,

or R. LYALL, Secretary.

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MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

1,400 FEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL. Telephone No. 35.

THIS MAGNIFICENT HOTEL is situated at the most beautiful and healthy part of the
Hill District. The air is delightfully cool and bracing; the temperature being at
least 10 degrees lower than in the valley beneath. Luxuriously furnished and appointed.
THE CUISINE is under the personal superintendence of an experienced European
STEWARD.

LAWN TENNIS:—Three Courts in splendid condition are kept for the use of
Visitors.

TRAMWAY TICKETS are supplied to Residents and Visitors at the HOTEL at
reduced rates.

For further Particulars, apply at the OFFICE 33 and 40, Queen's Road Central, or to
THE MANAGER, MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

Hongkong, September 24, 1894. 1523

MORE NOVELTIES.

H. KONG TRADING CO.

ARE SHOWING MORE NEW GOODS.

DRESS MATERIALS, MANTLE CLOTHES, EVENING GOODS,
FLANNELS and FLANNELLETS.

HONGKONG TRADING CO.,
Nos. 1 to 5, D'AGUIAR STREET.

Hongkong, December 8, 1894. 1991

Intimations.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

VICTORIA REGATTA.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY NEXT,
14th and 15th December, 1894.

A GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE have
been erected on the PRAYA REGULATION
from which a good view of the Regatta
may be obtained. Admission by Ticket only.
LADIES CORDIALLY INVITED.

Tickets, \$1 each, obtainable either from
the Club Steward or at the Gate.

The LADIES PRIZE will be presented on
the FIRST DAY immediately after the Race,
other Prizes after the last race SECOND
DAY.

E. D. SANDERS,
Hon. Secretary,
VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.
Hongkong, December 13, 1894. 2004

REGATTA HOLIDAYS.

THE VICTORIA REGATTA having been
POSTPONED to FRIDAY and
SATURDAY, 14th and 15th Instant, the
Undermentioned INSURANCE OFFICES
will be CLOSED for the Transaction of
Public Business at Noon, on those Days,
instead of To-day, and FRIDAY, 14th Inst.,
as previously advertised.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents,
Canton Insurance Office, Ltd.;
General Managers,
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
DOUGLAS JONES,
Acting Secretary,
Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd.

W. H. PERCIVAL,
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.

W. H. RAY,
Secretary,
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.

SHEWAN & Co.,
Agents,
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.

JAMES B. COUGHERIE,
Secretary,
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

WM. MACBEEAN,
Agent,
The Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.

Hongkong, December 13, 1894. 2002

ST. GEORGE'S BALL.

A MEETING OF THE SUBSCRIBERS
to the ST. GEORGE'S BALL FUND
will be held at the CITY HALL, on MON-
DAY, the 17th Instant, at 4.30 p.m.

E. W. MITCHELL,
Hon. Sec., pro tem.

Hongkong, December 13, 1894. 2081

CHAN A-TONG,

COAL, COKE, and COAL TAR
MERCHANT.

No. 5, ARSENAL STREET, EAST. [1799]

CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.,

Wine and Spirit Merchants,
13, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, August 18, 1891. 1612

CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co.,

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers,
Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND
METEOROLOGICAL
INSTRUMENTS.

VOYAGERS' CELESTIAL
BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES.

REPAIRS TO ALL KINDS OF COMPASSES.

ADMIRALTY & NAVY CHARTS,
NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware,
Chronometer & Clocks, Electro-Plated Ware,
GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY
in great variety.

DIAMONDS
AND
DIAMOND JEWELLERY.

A Splendid Collection of the Latest London
PATENTERS, at very moderate prices. 749

PRIVATE BOARD and RESIDENCE

for LADIES and GENTLEMEN. Special
attention to Ladies' comfort. Accommoda-
tion for Table Boarders. Central situation.

Mrs. MATHER,
2 and 3 Peddar's Hill.

Hongkong, July 24, 1893. 1257

FOR SALE.

JAPAN HAND-MADE PAPERS.

JAPAN PRINTING PAPERS.

JAPAN COPYING PAPERS.

Mails.



STEAM FOR
STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA,
INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT,
MEDITERRANEAN PORTS,
PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.
Through Bills of Lading issued for BATAVIA,
PERSIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS.

THE Steamship *SLAM*, Captain G. K. Wright, R.N.R., carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, on THURSDAY, the 20th December, at Noon.

All Cargo for Marseilles, London, &c., will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to those ports. Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The contents and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading.

For further Particulars, apply to
H. H. JOSEPH,
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, December 6, 1894. 1894

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
COLOMBO, ADEN, SUVA,
PORT SAID,
MEDITERRANEAN AND
BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA,
MARSEILLES, LONDON,
HAYRE AND BORDEAUX.

ALSO
PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 26th December, 1894, at Noon, the Company's Steamship *OXYS*, Commandant Deryot, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIES, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Species will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Species and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 26th December, 1894. (Cargo not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, December 13, 1894. 2027

To-day's Advertisements.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

SATURDAY, 15th DECEMBER, 1894,
AT 2.45 P.M.

COMPETITION—Long Range OUP and SPOONS. Ranges—800 and 900 yards. Shots—Ten. Entrance Fee, 80 Cents.

G. K. MOORE,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, December 14, 1894. 2037

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on
TUESDAY,
the 18th December, 1894, at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,

THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., belonging to Mr. S. ALLSTON, in Bankruptcy,

comprising—
DINING TABLE, SIDEBORD, WHATNOT, PICTURES AND ORNAMENTS.
BLACKWOOD TABLES AND STAND.
SOFA, CHAIRS, BOOK CASE and WRITING TABLE.

CARPET, SHIRTS, RUGS,
CROCKERY GLASS, and PLATED-WARE.
BEDSTEAD, WARDROBES, CHILD'S BED,
TOILET TABLE and WARDROBE, STOVE,
&c., &c., &c.

AND
(For Sundry Accounts),
TAPESTRY-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITS.

MARBLE-TOP CENTRE and SIDE TABLES.
CHINA GLASS, &c.

MARBLE-TOP SIDINGBOARD with BEVELLED GLASS TOP, WARDROBE with GLASS DOORS, CHAIRS of DRESSING, CROCKERY, DRESSING TABLE and MARBLE-TOP WARDROBE.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, December 14, 1894. 2038

OLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.
FROM MIDDLEBORO, LONDON
AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship *Glenhead* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 20th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 27th Instant, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, December 14, 1894. 2039

To-day's Advertisements.

HARMSTON'S GRAND CIRCUS



ROYAL MENAGERIE OF WILD ANIMALS

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!!

(FRIDAY), 14th DECEMBER,

THIS LAST NIGHT BUT FOUR OF THE CIRCUS SEASON.

GRAND COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT

TENDERED TO

Mrs. W. B. HARMSTON,

Great Specialties for this Occasion.

GRAND HIGH JUMPING CONTEST.

GENTLEMEN RIDERS UP.

The following Gentlemen will compete:

HART BUCK, Esq., MORTON JONES, Esq.,

Lieut. TAYLOR, R.A., Lieut. BERGER, Hongkong Regiment.

Also, by Special Request,

THE GREAT ACT—LE ECHELLE,

By GILF ELDRED and G. LOYD.

First appearance of BABY WILLIE, the smallest Equestrian in the World.

And a programme of events that will stamp it as a red letter mark in the annals of Circus History of Hongkong.

SATURDAY, 15th December, 1894.

GRAND FASHIONABLE NIGHT.

Under the distinguished Patronage of Colonel ROBINSON and the Officers of the SHROPSHIRE LIGHT INFANTRY.

ROBERT LOVE, Manager.

Hongkong, December 14, 1894. 2034

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.

The Co.'s Steamship *Formosa*, Capt. ROBERTS, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 16th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, December 14, 1894. 2035

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

The Steamship *Chingta*, Captain LINES, will be despatched as above on

TUESDAY, the 18th December.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, December 14, 1894. 1921

Dakin, Cruickshank & Company, Ltd.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A CONSIGNMENT

OF

Hford Dry Plates,

and are offering the same at

POPULAR PRICES.

Sensitized Albumenized

PAPER,

1 pl. in tin.

CHEAP AND RELIABLE.

Dakin, Cruickshank & Co.,

VICTORIA DISPENSARY,

HONGKONG.

1640

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:

Lucile, American ship, Capt. Conway.

December 14.

Wonging, British steamer, from Canton.

Kwang Lee, British str., from Canton.

Glenhead, British steamer, 2,240, R. D. Jones, London and Singapore December 7, 6 p.m. General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Ask, Danish str., 591, N. C. Ravabeck, Haiphong December 12, Rice.—ARNOLD, KANBORG & Co.

Formosa, British steamer, 674, A. E. Hodgins, Tamsui December 10, Amoy 11, and Swatow 13, General.—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.

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December 14.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Japan.	Ancona (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Dec. 21, at noon.
Kobe and Yokohama.	Oboro (s).	Shaw and Co.	December 15.
London and Ports of Call.	Siam (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Dec. 20, at noon.
London, v. Suez Canal.	Glenartney (s).	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	About Dec. 29.
London.	Shanghai (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Dec. 24.
London.	Aganemnon (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	December 28.
Manila, via Amoy.	Sungkiang (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	Dec. 16, at 4 p.m.
Marseilles, v. Saigon.	Orus (s).	Messageries Maritimes.	Dec. 25, at noon.
New York, v. Suez Canal.	Argyl (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Dec. 18.
New York.	Lucy A. Nickels.	Siemssen & Co.	Quick despatch.
S. Francisco, v. de S.	Bolgie (s).	O. & O. S. S. Co.	Dec. 19, daylight.
S. Francisco, v. Japan.	Pura (s).	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	Dec. 20, daylight.
San Francisco.	Sierra Miranda.	Shaw and Co.	Quick despatch.
Shanghai.	Ponipular (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Dec. 15, daylight.
Shanghai.	Poijang (s).	Siemssen & Co.	Dec. 17, at 4 p.m.
Shanghai, via Amoy.	Telamon (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	December 21.
Shanghai and Kobe.	Marquis Baguichem (s).	Sander & Co.	About Dec. 17.
Shanghai and Kobe.	Fagmos (s).	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About Dec. 18.
S'pore, Penang, & Ceylon.	Wingang (s).	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Dec. 18, at noon.
Rourabaya, &c.	Comraty (s).	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	About Dec. 19.
Swatow, Amoy & Tamsui.	Formosa (s).	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Dec. 16, daylight.
Vancouver (B.C.).	Empress of Japan (s).	Canadian P. & O. Co.	Dec. 20, at noon.
Victoria (B.C.).	Sikh (s).	Nor. P. & O. Co.	Jan. 1, at noon.
Yokohama and Kobe.	Ching u (s).	Butterfield & Swire.	December 18.

Wonging, British steamer, 1,127, W. E. Sawyer, Chinkiang December 10, Rice for Canton, Oil for Hongkong.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Bullmouth, British steamer, 2,606, T. G. Scott, Batoum November 3, Bulk Petroleum.—ARNOLD, KANBORG & Co.

Cass, Chinese steamer, 705, McJensen, Tamsui via Cascarora December 13, Ballast.—CAPTAIN.

Nauchang, British steamer, 1,064, E. Finlayson, Chinkiang December 10, Rice.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

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MAILS will close:—

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Oceania (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) WEDNESDAY, Jan. 9, 1895, at daylight.
Gaelic (via Amoy, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) SATURDAY, Jan. 26, 1895, at daylight.
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THE Steamship BELGIC will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via AMOY, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA AND YOKOHAMA, on WEDNESDAY, 19th Inst., at Daylight, connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai.

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C. L. GORHAM,
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Hongkong, December 12, 1894. 1894

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Peru (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) SATURDAY, Dec. 29, at daylight.
City of Rio de Janeiro (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) WEDNESDAY, Jan. 16, at daylight.
City of Peking (via Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea and Yokohama) WEDNESDAY, Feb. 6, at daylight.

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore k., and those in the body of the Harbour or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.
1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.
5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
9. From East Point to North Point.
10. Kowloon Wharves.
11. Jardine's Wharf.

Vessel's Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignee or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Ask	h.	501	Dec. 14	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	San Francisco	18th inst.
Belgic	h.	4211	Dec. 11	O. S. S. Co.		
Bonaparte	h.	1484	Dec. 13	Gibb, Livingston & Co.		
Brunhilde	h.	886	Dec. 8	Wieler & Co.		
Chingtu	h.	1459	Nov. 27	Butterfield & Swire	Sydney	To-morrow
Chunshan	h.	1285	Nov. 30	Bradley & Co.	Swatow	To-morrow
Doner	h.	1016	Nov. 13	Louis, Wegener & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Empress of Japan	h.	6994	Dec. 3	Canadian Pacific Railway Co.	Vancouver	To-morrow
Formosa	h.	680	Dec. 14	Douglas Steamship Co.	Coast Ports	To-morrow
Glenaholm	h.	2240	Dec. 14	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Jacob Diederichsen	h.	710	Dec. 13	A. R. Marty		
Kwang Lee	h.	1504	Dec. 14	M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Lo So	h.	1040	Dec. 9	Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok	To-morrow
Lyderhorn	h.	2014	Dec. 9	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	Kuchino	To-morrow
Machilite	h.	600	Dec. 11	Siemens & Co.	Touren	To-morrow
Momon	h.	825	Dec. 12	Butterfield & Swire	Sandakan	To-morrow
Nürnberg	h.	2007	Dec. 9	Melchers & Co.	Yokohama	To-morrow
Pekin	h.	118	Dec. 13	Chinese		
Peninsular	h.	2034	Dec. 13	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Sophie Rickmers	h.	2711	Dec. 9	M. S. N. Co.		
Standard	h.	994	Dec. 13	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Triumph	h.	674	Dec. 9	Chinese		
Wingang	h.	1517	Dec. 11	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	S'pore & Calcutta	18th inst.
Woocong	h.	1100	Dec. 14	Butterfield & Swire	Shanghai	To-day